

REMARKS

Claims 1 - 20 were pending in this application.

Claims 16-18 were rejected

Claims 19 and 20 were objected to.

Claim 16 was amended.

Claim 19 cancelled.

Claims 1-15 have been allowed.

I. Allowable Matter

The Examiner has indicated that the matter contained in Claim 19 would be allowable if rewritten into independent form.

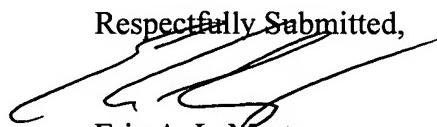
Claim 19 depends from Claim 16. The matter of Claim 19 has been added to Claim 16 by amendment. Claim 19 was subsequently deleted. Claim 16, as amended, therefore represents the matter of Claim 19 rewritten into independent form.

In view of the Examiner's comments, Claim 16 and its dependent claims are believed to stand in condition for allowance.

All pending claims are therefore believed to stand in condition for allowance.

II. SUMMARY

Having fully distinguished the pending claims over the cited art, this application is believed to stand in condition for allowance. However, if the Examiner is of the opinion that such action cannot be taken, the Examiner is requested to call the applicant's attorney at (215) 321-6772 in order that any outstanding issues may be resolved without the necessity of issuing a further Office Action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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